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PREMIER BAND INAUGURAL REHEARSALS

WASHINGTON – The Joint Task Force - Armed Forces Inaugural Committee (JTF-AFIC) invites the media to privately view the Navy, Marine and Air Force Band rehearsals for the 2005 Presidential Inaugural Parade.

The United States Navy Band will hold its only marching rehearsal featuring the full 99-piece band before its performance in the 2005 Inaugural Parade at RFK Stadium Lot 7 today at 1 p.m.

The United States Marine Band, "The President's Own" will host rehearsal prior to Inauguration Day at the Marine Barracks Washington Annex Wednesday at 11:30 am.

The United States Air Force Band's only rehearsal will take place at Andrews Air Force Base Hangar #4

Jan. 13 at 2:20 p.m.

There will be an opportunity for photos at each of the rehearsals as well as individual interviews of band members during these media-only events.

All media interested in attending any of these rehearsals should contact JTF-AFIC Public Affairs at (202) 358-5351.